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Careful Investor With Ready Cash in Position to Secure Unusually Low Prices.

BALANCES ARE PILING UP

In Near Future, Figures Now Prevailing May Look Very Cheap Improvement in Stockbrokers' Situation Is Distinctly Improved.

### BY BROADAN WALL.

New York, October 29.—Bargain counter prices prevail for many standard securities in the New Street market. While some of

in the New Street market. While some of these offerings may be classed as "remnants," the careful investor with ready cash may secure stocks at unusually low prices. For example:

Stock. Dividend. Price. Yield.
B. & O. pfd. 4 per cent 65 \$6 20 Pennsylvania 6 per cent 100 6 00 U.S. Steel pfd. 7 per cent 9354 7 00 B. R. T. 6 per cent 77 80 Balances are piling up with investment houses, and with every indication of case in the money markets these prices may look very cheap later on.

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IN OUTSIDE MARKET

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That a change for the better has occurred in the outside market may be noted from advertisements asking for bids in thousand-share lots for New York Central. Baltimore and Ohio, Atchison. Northern Pacific and Union Pacific.

Improvement in the position of the stockbrokers was distinctly marked to-day. Banks that a week ago were urging clients to reduce loans are now seeking to have these loans placed on a time basis running from four to six months at 5 per cent. Without exchange or concerted action, the call money market is being rapidly relieved by the coversion of call icans into fixed term obligations. This will, of course, materally reduce the demand for call money when the open market for funds is resumed, and the effect of the procedure will check to a considerable extent threatened liquidation, as the stockbroker will not be able to remove the collateral unless his client can supply other securities in substitution.

Bankers who appreciate the ease that must result in the call money market are thus effectively placing themseives and automatically checking exchange. With the immense sums that will be released when the reserve bank law becomes effective, plus the emergency currency outstanding, even them sost conservative bankers are anticipating an era of wide speculation at advancing prices, and the opinion is expressed that when trading is resumed upon the exchange outside prices will in many cases be not far from the closing prices of July 30.

BONDS ARE FIRMER.

WITH GOOD DEMAND

Bonds were firmer to-day, with good demand for the issues mentioned in this column yesterday. Southern Pacific convertible 5s selling at 91½, and carrying a call on the stock, are considered particularly attractive. Union Pacific convertible 4½s might be expected to advance sharply with a favorable decision on the freight rate advance.

Bond brokers returning from the wheat belt west of the Mississippi bring glowing accounts of the wealth and opt

New York, October 29.—Steady improvement continued to-day in the domestic financial situation. This was accentuated by the stronger investment demand, and the fact that foreign interests were negotiating for a loan of \$10,000,000 for six months on a 5½ per cent basis. The market for numerous short-term issues was active.

Exchange on London was variable, but closed under yesterday's prevailing rates. Business was comparatively light, with marked diminution of remittances for German interests. Money on time and call evinces an easier trend, considerable thirty-day loans being made at 5½ per cent.

Interest in Stock Exchange affairs was heightened because of a conference between the governing committee of that body and the representatives of the British Exchequer now in this country. No definite decision regarding the date for resuming local operations was reached, mainly because the repening of the London exchange remains uncertain.

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The cotton pool situation assumed another phase to-day when local interests announced their inability to arrive at a settlement with Liverpool brokers over contracts which were outstanding at the outbreak of the war. The financial side of the proposition was further complicated by the refusal of interior banks to join in the plan pending more definite assurances from Southern banking interests. Predictions of trade improvement, as voiced by the executive of the United States Steel Corporation, were supplemented by banking and commercial interests in various sections of the country. Bank clearings showed a more irregular tendency, with continued contraction at this centre.

The Bank of England statement was again noteworthy, chiefly for its continued gain of precious metal, which in the past week amounted to over \$2,900,000, to which an overnight increase of \$4,750,000 should be added.

New York. October 29—Southern spot cotton market advices showed continued firm neast to-day, official prices quoted heing higher in several sections of the belt, while local spot brokers found it almost impossible to secure firm offers for forward shipment at anywhere near recent figures.

Distress cotton, it is believed, has been pretty well absorbed, and holders are evidently encouraged by the prospects for financial assistance and the talk of oxfurther; improvement in export demand.

There were several special committee meetings at the exchange during the day, and this afternoon the conference committee discussed the situation with Sir George Paish. Liverpool cables reported a further reduction in the price of January-February confirsts 4.564, which, at the difference agreed upon lost september, would mean 7½ cents for December contracts in New York, October 29.—The board of 12, Quote: A. B. 359.

Decides Not to Reopen.

New York, October 29.—Cotton goods in primary markets were firmer to-day. Y were more active at low prices. The were more active at low

Port movement—Exports, 18,000 baies; stock, 64,415 baies.
Total for-lay—Net receipts, 24,486 baies; exports, 13,437 baies; exports 127,101 baies.
Total for week—Net receipts, 24,591 baies; exports 127,101 baies.
Total for season—Net receipts, 1,207,523 baies; exports, 024,579 baies.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
TARRYTOWN, N. Y., October 29,—

New Orleans, October 29.—Continued large exports and growth of optimistic feeling had their influence on prices in the cotton market to-day. January traded at 7.40, over a dollar a bale up from the lowest levels of yesterday, and about half a cent a pound higher than the lowest prices of last week. Spots were marked up 1, to 61, for inidding Throughout the session there was a good demand for future contracts, but offers were far from being liberal. Considerable liquidation, however, was accomplished.

Foreign exports from all ports for the day were 31,837 bales, and dispatches from Texas and other ports made it evident that large cargoes will continue to move in the near future.

Spot cotton steady. Sales on the spot, 67: near future.

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Liverpool. October 23.—The directors of the Cotton Exchange to-day reduced the price of January-February delivery five points to 4.50d, the change to take effect at the opening to-morrow.

## NEW YORK PRODUCE EXCHANGE.

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New York October 29—Rew sugar, weak;
molasses, 299; centrifugal 364; refined duli.
Butter, firm, unchanged Cheese, quiet,
Prices in the spot coffee market were unchanged at 05; cents for Rio 78 and 1615; cents
for Santos 48.

An increase in outside demand and active
covering of shorts caused a strong upturn
in the cottonseed oil market to-day. Hedge
selling was very light, consuming trade good
and crude reported to be steader. Final
prices were generally 16 to 11 points net
nigher. The market closed firm, spot, 13,59;
November, 14,5765,55; December, 52,93745,16;
November, 54,5765,55; December, 52,93745,16;
January, 52,5855,55; April, 55,58745,64; May,
53,5974571. Total sales, 19,50.

LOCAL MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Furnished by Levy Commission Co., Com-mission Merchants, Richmond, Va.) ACTUAL WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS ON

LIVE POULTRY			
Chickens, choice, smail, lb		61	
Chickens, large, lb		11	
Hens 1b		41	
Roosters, each	37	10	
Geese, fat, large, each	40	27	
Ducks, large, young, 1h	*,	ar m	
Ducks, small, young, 1b	125	20	
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#### CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS

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May 70% 68% 67 68%
December 45% 49 48 49
MESS PORK—Per bbi.

January 18.82 18.87 18.72 18.85
May 19.05 19.10 19.97 19.07
LARD—Per 190 1bs.
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MILLFEED-

#### CATTLE MARKETS

HICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET. (Sales at Union Stock Yards.) Richmond, Va., October 29, 1914, Live stock report for the week ending ctober 26, 1914;

October 28, 1914;

Best steers, 7½ to 8; medium to good, 6% to 7½; common to fair, 5½ to 6; best helfers, to 6½; medium to good, 5½ to 6; common to fair, 1½ to 5; best cows, 5½ to 5½; medium to good, 4½ to 5; common to fair, 10 4; best oxen, 6 to 6½; common to fair, 10 5½; best heavy bulls, 5½ to 6½; light, 10 5½; veals, 8 to 9½; dicks, 1 to 6½; comson de caives, \$30 to \$65 per head; best hogs, 7½ to 5; sows and stags, 5 to 7; best sneep, 4½ to 5; medium to good, 3½ to 4½; common to fair, 3 to 3½; lambs, 7 to 8.

Chicago, III. October 23.—Hogs lower; bulk, \$1.250\\$7.55; light, \$7.75\\$7\$5.55; mixed, \$7.10\\$7.75.75; nough, \$1.95\\$7.15; pigs, \$4.50\\$7.15; pigs

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET. New York, October 23.—Closing: Mercantile paper, 63634, sterling exchange, easier; for stxty-day bills, \$1,8507, for cables, \$1,9350 for demand, \$1.90. Bar silver 4812.

COTTON MARKETS.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., October 29.—Peanuts—
Spanish—Farmers' stock, market weak; 75c per bushel, Virginias—Farmers' fancy jumbo, 34c per lb.; machine-picked, 34c to 35c per lb.; machine-picked, 34c to 35c per lb.

New York, October 22.—Cotton goods in the primary markets were firmer to-day. Yarns were more active at low prices. The atendance at the carpet auction was lighter, out bidding held up steadily. Raw silk was easier.

Savannah, October 29. — Turpentine, nominal, 45½; no sales; receipts, 475; shipments, 10; stocks, 28,629. Rosin nominal; no sales, receipts, 1,494; shipments, none; stocks, 113,-452, Quote; A. B. 359.

Decides Not to Reopen.

New York, October 23.—The board of managers of the New York Coffee Exchange voter to-day not to open the exchange, as had been proposed, at the expiration of the British moratorium November 4.

# IS ACQUITTED BY JURY

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., October 29.— Becky Edelson, the I. W. W. agitator who was arrested on May 30 for speak-ing in Fountain Square without permit, was acquitted to-day by a jury. Miss Edelson was her own lawyer and proved so good a one that John D. Rockefeller's town is now open to all I. W. W.'s and anarchists in the coun-

try.
Miss Edelson demanded a jury, and Miss Edelson demanded a jury, and the trial was delayed until 4 o'clock this afternoon, because she refused to accept many jurors. George W. Briggs, butcher was refused by Becky because he sold meat to Mr. Rockefeller. John Wahlquist was denied because he was employed by John D. president of the Standard Oll Company Robert C. Pollack was refused because he had a speaking acquaintance with John D.

John D.

Finally, after the police had gone out through the village and scoured up several extra panels, the jury was completed, with John H. Murray, a real estate broker, as foreman.

Becky, in presenting her case to the jury, said that the Constitution gave her the right of free speech, and whether she was convicted or not she was coming back to Tarrytown with other agitators to harass Mr. Rockefeller As. agitators to harass Mr. Rockefeller. As-sistant District Attorney Whalen, of White Plains, said he did not want to

White Plains, said he did not want to take advantage of a woman, but charged the jurors that if they were public-spirited and law-abiding citizens they would convict the defendant. The jury was out twenty-five minutes. When it returned a verdict of not guilty was rendered. Berkman, Leonard Abbott. Louis Berger, Eleanor Fitzgerald, Helen of Troy, Charles Plunkett and Mary and Sophic Yuster, who accompanied Becky to Tarrytown. who accompanied Becky to Tarrytown gave her a great cheer. As they were leaving they said they would now come back and denounce Rockefeller without fear of police interference

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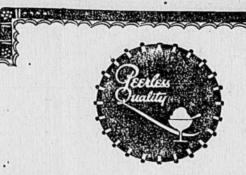
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(CHICAGO, October 22.—According to cable advices received on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day, the reserve of wheat in foreign countries are exceptionally small, sear in Franca and England. Home-grown supplies are small in the former country, and the wheat market at Parls was 1 3-4 cents much as 4 cents for the New York was thanked to the work wheat the former country, and the manual market at Parls was 1 3-4 cents much as 4 cents for the day. Even much as 4 cents for the day as 4 1-2 centival to the secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the Secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the Secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the Secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the Secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the Secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival to the Secured of the New York was 4 1-2 centival [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

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